

King County 4-H

Clover Courier



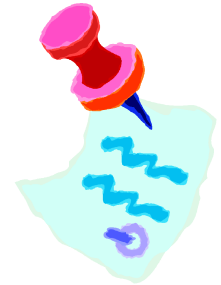
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Agents Corner



VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY SERVICE REPORTING

Now that 4-H is rapidly approaching the end of the year (September 30), we will be collecting any unreported adult volunteer and community service hours from October 1, 2003 to September 30, 2004. As reported to you earlier in the year, at that time, your clubs had contributed over **\$1,000,000.00** in volunteer and community service hours in support of youth development activities in King County. These figures do not include **King County Fair Volunteer and Community Service** and any other unreported hours for your respective clubs. As I mentioned in the spring, 4-H could potentially reach at least **\$2,000,000.00** in the value of our adult volunteer and community service efforts.

At the Fall Leaders Meeting (October 7), we will provide you with volunteer and community service forms to be used to document your work in these areas. In addition, we hope to have an online version ready to demonstrate on how to submit your hours via the King County 4-H web page.

I hope you see this as an excellent way for 4-H to demonstrate to our funding sources the

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outstanding contributions you are making to the communities of King County. In addition, it is important to all of us that make up King County 4-H to be aware of our collective efforts.

Thank you for supporting this accountability and impact initiative.

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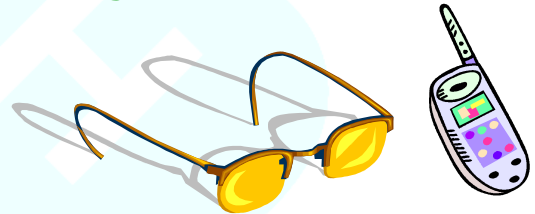
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Community Service Opportunities

LOOK and LISTEN to these King County 4-H
COMMUNITY SERVICE Opportunities



Do you have old **CELL PHONES** and/or **EYEGLASSES** cluttering up your house??
Donate them to 4-H where they will be recycled!

Donated cell phones and accessories will be refurbished to become lifelines for victims of domestic violence. This opportunity is provided by UBS Financial Services.

Donated eyeglass frames will be used to create glasses for those who can't afford new glasses. This opportunity is provided by the Kent Lions Club.

GOAL: No less than 100 cell phones and 100 eyeglasses by January 31, 2005.

Name Our King County 4-H Newsletter Contest

Congratulations to Sydney McBride for naming our King County 4-H Newsletter! Find out more about Sydney in the our next edition.



2004 Washington 4-H Council Agenda Items Summary Draft

Please send comments about these items to Dianne Heath
mailto:lighthouse4h@comcast.net. I will make sure they are forwarded to our voting delegates at Forum.

A. GENERAL 4-H

1. **Project Enrollment**—Pierce. County offices need to be more vigilant in enforcing age-appropriate enrollment in projects, following guidelines in EM2778.
2. **Boards/Committees**—Island. The responsibilities and benefits of the Horse Advisory Council and its relationship with the State Fair Board should be clarified.
3. **Boards/Committees**—Snohomish. Establish clear areas of responsibility of State boards and committees.
4. **State 4-H Rules**—Island. Recommends that state contests abide by state rules.
5. **State 4-H Rules**—Snohomish. Require that all state 4-H contests abide by state 4-H rules for classes.

B. GENERAL 4-H FAIR

1. **Rules Changes for State 4-H Fair**—King. The State 4-H Fair Board should follow the same procedures for changes for State Fair as other 4-H proposed rules, by going through the WA 4-H Council recommendation process.
2. **4-H Equine Rules**—Skagit. The State 4-H State Fair Board and management shall be required to follow the State equine 4-H rules as written in the *4-H Equine (Horse) Contest Guide*.
3. **4-H Equine Rules**—Spokane. Recommends that EB1974, *4-H Horse Contest Guide*, be followed in full by the State Fair Board for the 4-H Horse Contests at Puyallup.

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C. LIVESTOCK

1. **Pygmy Goats**—Thurston. Recommends having a State 4-H Program-approved score sheet for pygmy goat fitting and showing.

D. EQUINE

1. **Dress Code**—King. Eliminate the conflicting rule per the *2004 WA State 4-H Fair Premium List*, pg. 56, Section 21 (State 4-H Fair Equine Dress Code), and follow the attire guidelines per the *4-H Horse Contest Guide*, pg. 5-10.
2. **Dress Code**—Island. The State 4-H Horse Exhibit should abide by the dress code and rules as expressed the 4-H Horse Contest Guide.
3. **Dress Code**—Snohomish. Establish the dress code in the 4-H Horse Contest Guide as the dress code for the State 4-H Horse Exhibit classes.
4. **Western Games**—Island. Western Gaming events at State Fair (except Texas barrels) should be run with two lanes, marked with appropriate lane lines.
5. **Western Games**—Snohomish. Use lane lines and run two (2) lanes at State 4-H Western Games sections.
6. **Western Games**—Spokane. Recommends that all horses, regardless of age, may be shown in a snaffle or bosal.
7. **Western Games**—Snohomish. Add international flags to State 4-H Horse Exhibit Western Games section.
8. **Western Games/Contest Guide**—Snohomish. Change the 4-H Horse Contest Guide to make ties optional for Western Games riders in the events.
9. **Contest Guide**—Snohomish. Change the 4-H Horse Contest Guide to make a check rein optional equipment for harness.

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10. **Horse Exhibitor Numbers**—Island. 4-H horse exhibitors at State Fair may have exhibitor numbers on their back or both sides of the saddle pad. Any extra numbers required must be supplied by the exhibitor.
11. **Horse Exhibitor Numbers**—Snohomish. Allow Performance Horse exhibitors at State Fair to wear numbers on both sides of pad (second number supplied by exhibitor).
12. **Bowl Scheduling**—Snohomish. Alternate dates for State Horse Bowl and Hippology between 1st Saturdays of April and May.
13. **Showmanship**—State 4-H Horse Advisory Committee. Change the term, 'Fitting and Showing,' in the State 4-H Fair Premium book to 'Showmanship' for the 4-H Horse Exhibit.
14. **Flags**—Snohomish. Change level of can to "full" instead of "3/4" in international flags in 4-H Horse Contest.
15. **Flags**—Snohomish. Change length of stake in international flags in 4-H Horse Contest Guide from 14" to 18".
16. **Jumping**—Clark. Make jumping separate from the Performance section and be given its own time and allotment, as with Harness. If time and space are an issues these events can be held before State Fair begins or soon after.
17. **Nosebands**—Wahkiakum. Recommends that English classes, hunt seat, dressage, etc. be allowed to use flash nosebands and figure-eight nosebands, in addition to cavesons and drop nosebands.

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Please send submissions by the first Wednesday of each month to Wayne Heath, care of King County 4-H Office, or <mailto:wheath4@comcast.net>



Youth Entrepreneur 4-H Club

Ever thought about being a young entrepreneur? We would like to form a club that will help youth to learn how to do that. The focus would be to produce items for sale that could be made using an embroidery machine: i.e. patches, logos on shirts etc. Also Web Page Building to advertise our products. The process will help youth learn to research, setup and conduct a business. Eventually this project could expand to other saleable items, maybe even a small catering business.

But this means we need interested youth. So, if interested please email Floy Ziegler at <mailto:flzwez@hotmail.com> or Carey Roos at <mailto:Carey.Roos@metrokc.gov>. The club will meet at the Extension office. We will be setting up a informational meeting for sometime in October.

2004 WSU College of Veterinary Medicine Horse Conference and EXPO

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September 25, 2004

On-Campus in the Veterinary Teaching Hospital

Programs for adults, 4-H, and FFA

Visit <http://www.vetmed.wsu.edu/pets/> for a copy of the program

Penn State Better KID Program

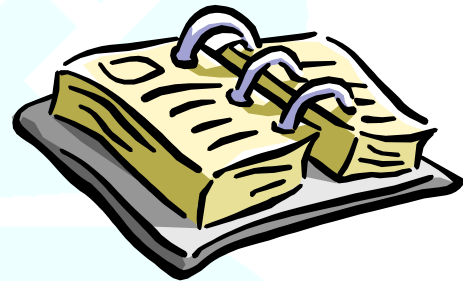
The Penn State Better Kid Care Program *E-Newsletter* is filled with information for those caring for children. It contains:

- *Featured Articles on *child development*
- *Highlights from our *Distance Education Lessons*
- *Information on *health and safety* regarding child care
- *Introductions to *great children's books*
- *Information on upcoming *satellite workshops*
- **Tips* from providers
- *and more!

Take a look on line at <http://www.betterkidcare.psu.edu/> (click Newsletter link at top of page). You can subscribe by sending a blank e-mail to BetterKidCareNews-subscribe-request@lists.psu.edu [subscribe-request@lists.psu.edu](mailto:BetterKidCareNews-subscribe-request@lists.psu.edu).

Quilting Project—Hands on Area—State 4-H Fair Help Needed

We will be at State 4-H Fair again this year. Look for us in our new space in the Pavilion. BERNINA will be furnishing new sewing machines for our use in the booth again this year. Participants will have the opportunity to make quilt squares for our comfort quilts and then make a backpack to take home with them. While you are at the Fair come give us a hand. 4-H'ers who help with the project will be able to count their time as a 4-H in Action activity. Adult help is also needed. Basic sewing skills such as pinning and some knowledge of sewing machine use is helpful but not absolutely necessary. We will be open daily, 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM and 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM. Any amount of time you can share with us will be greatly appreciated. Contact the fair office if you can help. — Carol Hagan



Important Upcoming Dates

Sept 23	Horse Project Meeting	
Oct. 7	Fall Leaders Meeting	Extension Office 7:00 P.M. (We will start on time)
Oct. 15-17	4-H State Forum Tacoma Sheridan	Go to http://4-h.wsu.edu/conferences/forum/index.htm for workshops, schedule, registration forms and tours
Oct 30	Super Saturday	Email your workshop ideas to mailto:lighthousedh@comcast.net



Congratulations to the following King County Fair Champions

Guide Dogs



5 month old puppies:

Grand Champion - Emily Ledbetter - working Raidar
Reserve Grand - Kevin and Laura Marck - working Sparkle

7 month old puppies:

Grand Champion - Lindsay Refvem - working Ferguson
Reserve Grand - Molly Johnson - working Gabriel

9 - 11 month old puppies:

Grand Champion - Jaclyn Doolittle - working Milo
Grand Champion - Carly Berry - working Galahad
Reserve Grand - Anna Harrison - working Dora

12 month and older:

Grand Champion - Michelle Stitzer - working Topper
Reserve Grand - Mackenzie Kieft and Luke Andrew - working Neptune

Educational Displays:

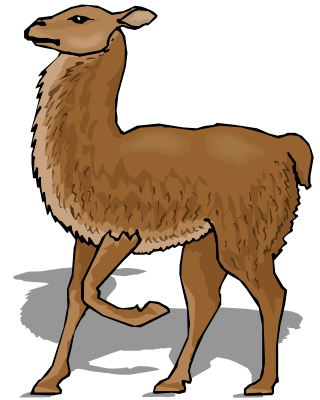
Grand Champion - Abby Rose Christensen
Grand Champion - Taylor LaFave

Shop Projects:

Grand Champion - Lisa Cundy
Grand Champion - Lindsay Refvem
Reserve Grand - Meredith Stanley



Llama/Alpaca 4H Department



Fit n' Show:

Senior Division:

Champion---Alicia Thomas (Kids n' Kritters)
Reserve Champion---James Cox (Cascade Lama)

Intermediate Division:

Champion---Mariah Gentry (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---Coralene Jewett (Cascade Lama)

Junior Division:

Champion---Alexander Thomas (Kids n' Kritters)
Reserve Champion---Kaylee Onorati (Cascade Lama)

Grand Champion---James Cox (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Grand Champion---Mariah Gentry (Cascade Lama)

Domestic Obstacle:

Senior Division:

Champion---Jackie Schricker (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---James Cox (Cascade Lama)

Intermediate Division:

Champion---Rachel Onorati (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---Mariah Gentry (Cascade Lama)

Junior Division:

Champion---Alexander Thomas (Kids n' Kritters)
Reserve Champion---Kaylee Onorati (Cascade Lama)

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Trail Obstacle

Senior Division:

Champion---James Cox (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---Jessica Banks (Cascade Lama)

Intermediate Division:

Champion---Mariah Gentry (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---Rachel Onorati (Cascade Lama)

Junior Division:

Champion---Kaylee Onorati (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---Alexander Thomas (Kids n' Kritters)

Pack Obstacle:

Senior Division:

Champion---Jackie Schricker (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---James Cox (Cascade Lama)

Intermediate Division:

Champion---Nathan Thomas (Kids n' Kritters)
Reserve Champion---Mariah Gentry (Cascade Lama)

Junior Division:

Champion--- Alexander Thomas (Kids n' Kritters)
Reserve Champion--- Kaylee Onorati (Cascade Lama)

Handler Class:

(Division separation in this class is different)

Grand Champion---Rachel Onorati (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Grand Champion---James Cox (Cascade Lama)
And ---Kaylee Onorati (Cascade Lama)

Champion---Mariah Gentry (Cascade Lama)
Reserve Champion---Nathan Thomas (Kids n' Kritters)

